

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kobayashi et al.

Group Art Unit: 1736

Serial No.: 10/590,206

Examiner: Berns, Daniel J.

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For:

POLYMER-SUPPORTED METAL CLUSTER COMPOSITION

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AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT B

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Final Official Action dated July 5, 2011, having a shortened statutory period for reply up to and including October 5, 2011. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Please amend the subject application as follows: